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Real Estate Transfers.

E. G. King to D. W. Ryan, Oct. 15, 1913, deed to 400 acres out of survey 247, Texas Central Ry. Co., also 640 acres, survey 435, C. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., also 160 acres, survey 2442, J. A. Barber, also 640 acres, survey 747, Georgetown Ry. Co., situated in Medina and Bandera Counties, \$10,000.

August Schellhase and wife to A. A. Rothe, Jan. 28, 1914, deed to 200 acres out of survey 433, Robert Williamson, \$5000.

J. M. Bright to W. H. Grant and wife, Dec. 29, 1913, deed to lots 7, 10, and 11, block 21, Bright addition to Devine, \$200.

Maggie C. Henson to Rev. J. A. Forrest, Catholic Bishop, May 7, 1898, deed to lot 1, block 4, town of Lytle, \$100 and other considerations.

Joseph S. Carr to Rev. J. A. Forrest, Catholic Bishop, June 8, 1899, deed to 200 feet square or 40,000 square feet of land out of survey 58, G. C. & S. F. Ry. Co., \$100.

Joseph S. Carr to Rev. J. A. Forrest, Catholic Bishop, Feb. 18, 1901, deed to a parcel of land out of survey 517, Henry Reusing, \$1.00 and other considerations.

H. N. Bean and wife to Isaac Cortez, Oct. 3, 1913, deed to one acre out of survey 517, H. Reusing, \$150.

Aug. H. Stiegler to L. A. and H. J. Wiemers, Dec. 8, 1913, deed to a 1/3 interest in 323 4-10 acres out of survey 51, Jos. Bader, also 67 acres out of survey 18, John Ward, \$2080.

O. H. Miller to J. L. and B. W. Johnson, Jan. 15, 1914, deed to 5 acres out of survey 158, Henry Wilson, \$600.

J. W. Ridenour and wife to A. J. Swearingen, Jan. 30, 1914, deed to parts of lots 18, 19 and 20, block 16, Hondo, \$3300.

J. M. Bright to A. L. Ray, Dec. 16, 1913, deed to lots 10 and 11, block 43, Bright addition to Devine, \$200.

J. W. Carr, et al, to Lizzie J. Davis, et al, Oct. 20, 1913, deed to lots 9 and 10, block 35, Hondo, and other property in Anderson and Fayette counties, \$1400.

Frank Hoffman and wife to Edward Naegelin, Feb. 2, 1914, deed to a part of survey 39, Maria Torres, \$1500.

J. F. Burns to W. W. Burns, Feb. 2, 1914, deed to 160 acres, survey 54, W. A. Cole, assignee of Jos. Schmerber, \$8,000.

Maggie Howard to town of Devine, Jan. 22, 1914, deed to a part of survey 15, Joe Brodhag, \$150.

E. G. Garwood and wife to Parker Burgin and wife, Jan. 2, 1914, deed to 640 acres, survey 804, A. A. Lacoste, \$8,000 and assumption of \$6,000 notes.

W. W. Burns to Jack Willett, Feb. 3, 1914, deed to 160 acres, survey 54, W. A. Cole, assignee of Jos. Schmerber, \$19,800.

Medina Townsite Co. to W. C. Matthews, April 21, 1913, deed to lot 16, block 27, Natalia, \$300.

Leo Tschirhart to Nic. L. Tschirhart, Feb. 3, 1914, deed to what is known as the Anton Beetz property, Castroville, \$2500.

Medina Townsite Co. to Ira C. Kilough, Oct. 30, 1912, deed to lots 3 and 4, block 18, Natalia, \$200.

Notice.

Lots 3 and 4 in Block 3 in Miller addition. Bargain if taken at once.

E. G. GARWOOD.

LOCAL TEACHERS' INSTITUTE NEWS WHY WE SHOULD NOT FIGHT MEXICO

And Other Live Items From Our Fred Metzger's Warning to all Loyal Americans. Yancey Correspondent

The Local Teachers' Institute was held at Yancey Friday and Saturday, March 13th and 14th. Superintendent W. N. Saathoff of Hondo and the following teachers were in attendance: Prof. and Mrs. Williams, Misses Travis, Langford, Paine, Gaines, Ulrich, Garrison, Ney, Stone, Dardeen and Yarbrough and Profs. Kennedy and Serafine, as were also the corps of Yancey school, namely: Profs. Hickman and Wendland and Misses Neal, Boone, Middleton and Brown, and perhaps others whose names we failed to get.

After the Institute was opened by the County Superintendent, Bro. Pledger invoked the blessing and the rendering of the program began at once.

John W. McCaughan delivered the welcome address, which was responded to by Mrs. Williams of D'Hanis.

As the teacher who was to deliver an address on Manner of Education and Punishment in Olden Times, was not present, Bro. Pledger was called upon to take up the subject, which he did in his usual jovial manner.

Music was furnished at intervals by Misses Abbie Mae Williams, Maggie McCaughan, Bertha Childress and Hazel Mofield.

Dr. Cain delivered an address on the Greatest Source of Disease in a Community. He brought out a good many important thoughts for the parents to observe, and also read a paper entitled "Don'ts for the School Room", which was eagerly listened to by parents, teachers and pupils.

A quartette was sung by Harrison and Nixon Wilson, Deshay McAneny and Ernest Wiemers.

Superintendent Saathoff discussed Subject No. 10, "Parent-Teacher Clubs—the Medium of Home Education".

The last on the program for the night was the Spelling Bee conducted by Miss Neal. Old and young, parents, teachers and pupils took a hand in this and it proved to be the most important feature of the evening. Although it was conducted by a lady, the words were given out by a gentleman, but, nevertheless, the ladies won in the spelling match. Everybody spent a most enjoyable evening.

The auditorium was crowded to its utmost capacity, people coming from far and near to attend the Institute.

On Saturday morning at 9 o'clock the people of Yancey community assembled at the high school to listen to the second part of the program that had been arranged for this special session.

A large crowd attended, and everybody brought their dinner, which was served by the Yancey Mothers' Club and was joined in by all that could possibly be present. A splendid dinner was served, consisting of chicken, roast beef, boiled ham, roast goat, salads, pickles, cakes, pies and coffee, to which all did ample justice.

In the afternoon there was music furnished by Miss Brown, the music teacher, after which all of the teachers returned to their respective homes, with the exception of Miss Stella Stone, who remained over Sunday and attended church at Lower Tehuacana.

Miss Louise Kueck, saleslady of the Yancey Mercantile Co., spent last week at Poteet where she visited Miss Lizzie Oefinger.

Messrs. J. P. Nixon, J. L. Oefinger and Fritz and August Bohmfalk went to Ft. Worth last week with fat cattle.

H. N. Burdin was business visitor to San Antonio last week, as were also Dr. W. C. Cain and Henry Kueck.

Mrs. J. H. Burdin and children returned from Uvalde Sunday where they had gone visiting a few days ago.

Misses Emma Neuman and Margaret Wanshaff were guests of Mrs. George Faseler during the Institute.

Miss Julia Childress returned home Saturday from Nixon where she has been teaching for the past six months.

A Photographer arrived in our town last week. Now is your time to have that picture "took".

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Haegelin were here for the Institute.

Rev. Pledger spent part of last week at Utopia visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackaller passed through here Sunday en route to New Fountain, returning the same day.

The families of H. G. Wilson and J. C. Newton went to San Antonio Tuesday, returning Wednesday.

Yancey, Texas, March 17, 1914.

Notice.

I have bought a half interest in the Star Tin and Plumbing Co. and wish to state to the public that I have had an experience of 30 years in the tin and plumbing business. Have also been in Hondo nearly two years and some of you know my ability in that line. Come in and let us figure with you. We are here to please, we guarantee our work and most respectfully solicit your patronage.

Yours for business,

W. P. BAUMAN.

\$100 Reward.

One hundred dollars reward for the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who have been setting fire to barns or other buildings in this county.

J. F. BADER, Sheriff.

AUDITORIUM THURSDAY March 26



"THE PRICE SHE PAID"

Noonan Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tate and children, Mr. and Mrs. Stigler and children, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duderstadt and children and Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster of Lytle were Chicon visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rackley and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Heath visited Mr. and Mrs. George Farris Sunday.

Misses Alta and Maurine Green visited Miss Hazel and Frankie Farris Sunday.

Messrs. Glenn McCombs and Woodson Green visited Archie Farris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bridges of Lytle were seen at Chicon Dam Sunday.

Mack Luckie visited Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf and also Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Kempf and children Saturday.

Archie Farris was a passenger to Devine Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Kempf and Mrs. John Kempf made a flying trip to Devine Saturday.

Messrs. Rudolph Balmos and Edwin Pingeton were seen on our streets Sunday.

Jim Heath was a passenger to Noonan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkey and children have moved from San Antonio to Chicon Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins and children have moved from Oklahoma to Chicon Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf visited Mr. and Mrs. El. Mann and children Sunday.

Tom Chambers was a visitor at Natalia Friday.

Misses Lizzie and Alvina Kempf attended Church at Natalia Sunday.

March 19, 1914.

A Surprise Party.

A pleasant surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulte Saturday night, March 14th. Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Will Mussmann and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mussmann and children, Mr. and Mrs. Finest Dabbs, Misses Lena and Minnie Graff, Hulda Schulte, Lizzetta Breiten, Minnie Lindberg, Myrtle Langly, Lela, Lillie and Francis Dabbs, Messrs. Roland Moore, Robert Hartung, Will Weber, Willie and P. Neitenhofer, Albert Saathoff, F. Hartmann, Henry Aden, Willie and Ed. Saathoff, Walter Galloway, John Folk, Herman Lindberg, Frank Mussmann, Frank Neumann, Fritz Moebius, Ed. and Robert Schulte, Otto Lindenberg, Walter Graff, B. James, J. Burrell and Otto Molke.

At 12 o'clock coffee and cake were served and plenty of refreshments during the night. Dancing was kept up until a late hour, when the strains of "Home Sweet Home" was played and sent all to their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Schulte many happy returns of the day.

ONE OF THE CROWD.

FULTON'S MURDERER COMMITTS SUICIDE

Corpus Christi, Tex., March 18 — Theodore Merton, 67 years old, the confessed slayer of C. R. Fulton, tonight in the county jail committed suicide by taking strichnine. He left a note saying that when he had attacked Fulton he had thought he was a single man.

"I attacked Fulton believing him a single man and was horrified to learn of the distress I had caused among innocent people, who had not harmed me. If I could have had a prompt trial I should have asked the death verdict and prompt execution as being the only expiation I could offer," he stated in his note found in his cell tonight.

C. R. Fulton, a prominent business man of this city and a consul commander of the Woodmen of the World, was shot to death in his office on the morning of February 28. Merton was arrested and promptly admitted the killing and asked for the death penalty.

The Price She Paid.

That the people of Hondo will be surprised on Thursday, March 26, is a positive certainty for on that occasion the newest dramatized offering entitled "The Price She Paid" will be brought to the Auditorium.

No greater artistic triumph has ever toured the country than this wonderful dramatic play which has more thrills than "Fine Feathers", more gripping situations than "Within the Law", and more wonderful lines than the book of David Graham Phillips himself.

The subject matter of the play has to do with the efforts of a wealthy man to induce a pure girl to become his common law wife. Circumstances arise which enable the wealthy man to tell the girl that if she does not join him in this proposed alliance, he will send her brother to prison, thus bringing humiliation to her and the other members of her family. It is battling against such odds as this that brings out the firmness and wonderful spirit in the girl's character. The bitter fight she wages against the wiles of the millionaire, her up-hill battle in her efforts to save her brother from a prisoner's cell, and her final triumph at the end of the play present dramatic possibility that have never been equalled before in the drama.

"The Price She Paid", which is headed by no less a talented actress than Shirley Mayberry is easily the best written, best produced and best presented comedy of the season.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1914.

FROM "THE POET."
THE gods talk in the breath of the
woods.
They talk in the shaken pine
And fill the long reach of the old seashore
With dialogue divine.
And the poet who over-hears
Some random word they say
Is the fated man of men
Whom the ages must obey.
—Emerson.

Mrs. Burney Is Buried.

Kerrville, Tex., March 16.—The funeral of Mrs. Mattie Burney, who died at her home in this place Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, took place from the First Presbyterian Church at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The funeral was conducted by Rev. W. P. Dickey, whose father received decedent into the Presbyterian Church at Palestine forty-five years ago, when she was but 15 years of age.

The funeral was one of the most largely attended in the history of the town. The floral offerings were many and beautiful, and a host of friends made by Mrs. Burney in her thirty-five years of residence in Kerrville joined in paying a last tribute of respect to a woman who was universally loved.

Mattie Prather was born in Wilcox County, Alabama, January 25, 1854. She came with her mother to Texas in 1862, and on September 30, 1880, was married to R. H. Burney, at present judge of the Thirty-eighth Judicial District of Texas. She is survived by her husband and three children, Henry P. Burney of San Antonio, Ivey Hance Burney, now a student in the law department of the State University, and Miss Vela Burney, and one grandson, John Henry Harper. Four brothers also survive her, Henry Prather of Beaumont, Ed. Prather of Mexia and Charles and William Prather of Marquette.

Decedent was a woman of many fine qualities, a consistent Christian, whose life was one of unselfish devotion to those about her and to the happiness of her family and friends.—Tuesday's Express.

Judge Burney has the sympathy of his numerous friends in this county in his sad bereavement.

Noonan Notes.

Mrs. Henry Kempf was a visitor to Noonan Wednesday.

Messrs. John Kempf and Lee Luckie and little Miss Gladys visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf Sunday.

Will Rackley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rackley visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heath Sunday.

Misses Lizzie and Alvina Kempf and brother, Joe, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Kempf Monday.

Mack Luckie visited Henry Kempf and family Sunday.

Archie Farris visited relatives at Noonan Sunday.

Messrs. Ed. Balmos and E. A. Person of Devine passed through here Tuesday en route to Castroville.

Mrs. Jim Bridges of Lytle and Misses Lizzie and Alvina Kempf visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chambers Thursday.

Miss Grace Cook of Devine spent a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Chambers at Mustang Prairie.

Thomas Chambers was a visitor to Devine Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf were visitors at Lytle Saturday.

V. Mangold killed a hog that weighed 450 pounds dressed. Some hog. Who can beat that.

March 12, 1914.

(Received too late for last issue)

Wormy children are unhappy, puny and sickly. They can't be otherwise while worms eat away their strength and vitality. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge performs a marvelous transformation. Cheerfulness, strength and the rosy bloom of health speedily return. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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CASTROVILLE Anvil Sparks.

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

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who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Mosca F. A. Perron, and E. J. Balloons of Devine came in Tuesday on business.

Justice Court was grinding for a little while Tuesday.

Alex Tondre and Chas. V. Brown delivered a Mexican prisoner at Hondo Tuesday.

H. F. Haass made a business trip to Knippa Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Groff on Thursday March 12th, twin boys.

Jos. Courand and T. M. Conover of San Antonio were Castroville visitors Saturday.

Jesse Parson, the jockey, was mingling with his many friends here Saturday.

Miss Marie Steinle left Sunday on a two months visit to relatives and friends at Dunlap.

Chas. Maurer, our cigar man, and The Castroville Quill man, left Sunday on an overland business trip to San Antonio.

Gus Koenig was here Sunday and informed us that he was preparing a fine race track near LaCoste and that the first race (a sweep stake) would be run there on Easter morning, April 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Florence, were Alamo City visitors Thursday.

Mrs. C. McCashin of Temple, Texas, was a Castroville visitor Sunday.

Miss Melinda Huesser was an Alamo City visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and Mr. J. C. Cobb visited Lytle and

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CASTROVILLE Anvil Sparks.

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This Stomach Remedy Helps Your Friends

Almost every day some grateful person comes into our store and tells us of benefits received from the use of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. Knowing how much good they have done others and knowing what they are made of, we feel sure they will help you. So great is our faith in them that we urge you to try them entirely at our risk, with our personal promise that if they don't do all you expect them to do and make your stomach comfortable and healthy and your digestion easy, we'll hand back your money.

We couldn't endorse anything any more strongly than we do Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. Containing Peppermint and Bismuth two of the greatest digestive aids known to medical science, they soothe the stomach, check heartburn and distress, promote a natural flow of the gastric juice, and help regulate the bowels. Remember, if they don't make your digestion so easy and comfortable that you can eat whatever you like whenever you like, we want you to come back and tell us and get your money. Sold only at the more than 7,000 Rexall Stores, and in this town only at our store. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00.—Martin Drug Co., Hondo, Texas.

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Daily Thought.

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Daily Thought.

At war with ourselves means the truest happiness we can have.—Meredith.

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Daily Thought.

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T. M. Griffith was a business caller at this office Monday.

Judge H. E. Haass was a visitor in San Antonio this week.

W. E. Clark of Sabinal was a business visitor here Thursday.

Postmaster Chancey was a business visitor to San Antonio Saturday.

Ed. Ney has been indisposed for several days with Monsieur la Grippe.

You will never regret ordering your tailor made clothes from S. G. Carter.

Mrs. M. A. Keller and children visited in San Antonio the first of the week.

Spring and summer line is now ready for your inspection. S. G. Carter, Tailor.

Mrs. Jim Brashier of Sabinal was the guest of relatives here during the week.

Some high-grade Barred Plymouth Rock roosters for sale. See Mrs. H. B. Taylor.

The ladies of the Baptist Church will have a White Sale on Tuesday, March 31st.

Phone 125, the City Tailor Shop, when your clothes need cleaning or pressing.

Work on the addition to Mrs. Hutzler's confectionery building is progressing rapidly.

For best cleaning and pressing have your work done at S. G. Carter's. Phone 179.

This week, W. M. Collins erected a cement sidewalk in front of the new Richter building.

Corona Wool Fat, a healing salve for cuts, sores, etc., on animals. Sold by Mechler & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis and children were guests of friends at San Antonio Sunday.

A 110-egg capacity Favorite Incubator, in good condition, for sale cheap at C. M. Griffith's.

County Superintendent Saathoff visited the schools in the northeastern part of the county this week.

For Sale, A 6-room residence located in the heart of the city. For price and terms apply to C. J. Monkhouse.

Eggs for hatching from full-blood White Leghorns for sale at \$1.50 per setting of 15. T. B. Holloway.

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Fresh chocolates and all kind of candy at Hutzler's.

Mrs. August Hornung is the guest of relatives at D' Hanis.

For Sale—A full-blood Jersey male calf. See H. B. Taylor.

A 3-gallon ice cream freezer, same as new, for \$3.00 at C. M. Griffith's.

C. R. Gaines, the Buick automobile man, was in San Antonio this week.

A San Antonio Business College Scholarship for sale at this office. t.f.

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

Mrs. Alva Loder of San Antonio was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. H. King this week.

When you need the services of a Notary Public call at the Anvil Herald office or ring telephone 127.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barton of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bauman this week.

Buy a Stewart Horse Clipping and Sheep Shearing Machine from Eugen Huesser and clip your horses. t.f.

We were glad to see Joe Langfeld able to be out again Saturday after a severe attack of pneumonia.

Little Walter Meyer is able to be out again after being very sick for several weeks with pneumonia.

A big fine boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Will Beal one day last week. Mother and child are doing well.

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PERSONALS

Do you read the Anvil Herald?

Joe Finger of D'Hanis was a visitor here Monday.

Rev. A. Falkenberg was a San Antonio visitor Tuesday.

All kinds of cakes, candies and other confections at Heyen's.

Rev. J. J. Myers was a visitor to San Antonio during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Muennink were San Antonio visitors this week.

Easter Egg Dye and Easter Post Cards at Windrow's drug store.

Mrs. Will Holloway has been quite sick this week with pneumonia.

John and Henry Frerichs were visiting relatives in San Antonio Sunday.

Henry Zellerbach, the jeweler, was a business visitor in San Antonio this week.

Let us clean and block your old dirty hat to look like new. Callahan & Heyen.

Judge Ed. de Montel visited San Antonio Tuesday and Del Rio on Wednesday.

Easter Booklets, Easter Egg Dyes, and Easter Post Cards at Windrow's drug store.

W. R. Meredith, the insurance man, was a business visitor in San Antonio this week.

There will be a dance at Saathoff Bros.' hall Saturday night, March 28th, 25 pd.

E. C. Oefinger, a merchant of Poteet, was here this week on a visit to homefolks.

A number of second hand cars for cheap. See them at the Hondo Auto Sales Co. garage.

Avoid sickness by having correct plumbing about your premises and have Philip Karrer do the work.

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For Sale or Trade, our entire Livery & Feed Stables in Hondo, Texas. We own the only Livery Stable here and it will make a good business for some one. McClaugherty & Horger.

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Col. W. B. Odem visited relatives in Austin this week.

Mrs. Chas. Boog was here from D'Hanis Tuesday.

Mrs. R. P. Thomas was a visitor to San Antonio Tuesday.

Rudolph Posch and son of Biry were visitors here Tuesday.

J. W. Brasher of Sabinal visited relatives here Sunday.

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co.

Florian Bendele, the carpenter, was a passenger east Monday.

Mr. Joe Fohn spent Sunday with his family in San Antonio.

Messrs. Will Beal and C. R. Hoover were Sabinal business visitors Monday.

My motto is to please and I appreciate your business. S. G. Carter, the tailor.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Senne is quite sick with pneumonia.

Give the De Luxe Laundry a trial. Callahan & Heyen, Mask Building. Phone 178.

W. P. Bauman, the tinner, was a visitor in San Antonio several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Poehler were visitors in San Antonio the fore part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bailey are entertaining a new baby boy since March 8th.

We can print most anything in the job printing line. Get the Anvil Herald's prices.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Brown have moved into their new home in the Metzger Addition.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

John Walters, a former Hondoite but now of San Angelo, was the guest of relatives here this week.

H. E. HAASS.

County Judge

We are authorized to announce

B. J. NOONAN

as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Medina County, at the November election.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for past favors, I again announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Medina County at next November election, and on my past record of impartiality and efficiency, I again solicit your vote and support.

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Respectfully,

B. A. JUNGMAN.

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Justice of the Peace

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A. M. LAMM

as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the November election.

Mrs. T. McClaugherty came in yesterday after a few days visit to relatives in San Antonio.

We failed to mention last week that

Messrs. Robert Callahan and Emil Heyen have opened a new tailor shop in the Mask building.

Both of these young men are well known and we predict a successful business for them.

Attention is called to the announcement of F. G. Muennink as a candidate for tax assessor of Medina County.

Fritz is a well known business man of this town and is so favorably known that he needs no commendation from us.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather on the first day, the millinery openings of the local emporiums were

very successful. Business was good and the many who attended were delighted with the beautiful models this season offers.

Mimka Saathoff was down from the hill country Tuesday. Mimka has

been bringing a rain every time he comes here for some time, but he said

he was in "too big a hurry" this time and will bring it next time. Don't stay away too long Mimka!

Yes, another car load of Buicks just in. Have you ever thought why they sell so fast? They won every long endurance race entered in the last runs, each about 500 miles, through mud and snow, while dozens of other makes had to drop out. Ask those who own Buicks. All the world loves a winner. Others will tell you they have just as good, but take the motor news reports for facts. C. R. Gaines, dealer, Hondo, Texas.

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measure for a pair. Quality the best,

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Wm. NEUMANN

HONDO, TEXAS

Announcements

County Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce

JACK J. DROITOURT

as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, at the November election.

I hereby announce as a candidate for the office

of County Treasurer at the November election and solicit the votes and support of all voters.

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Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

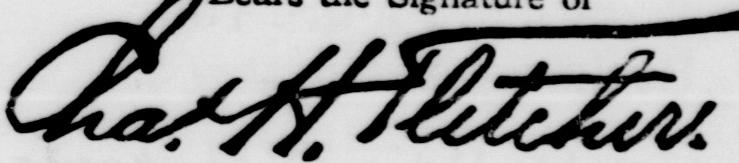
The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Fletcher*. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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The Valiants of Virginia
By Hallie Erminie Rives
Globe Post Writer
Illustrated by Lauren Stett
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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—John Valiant, a rich society favorite, suddenly discovers that the Valiant corporation, which his father founded and which was the principal source of his wealth, has failed.

CHAPTER II.—He voluntarily turns over his private fortune to the receiver for the corporation.

CHAPTER III.—His entire remaining possessions consist of an old motor car, a white bulldog and Damory court, a neglected estate in Virginia.

CHAPTER IV.—He learns that this estate came into the family by royal grant and has been in the possession of the Valiants ever since.

CHAPTER V.—On the way to Damory court he meets Shirley Dandridge, an auburn-haired beauty, and decides that he is going to like Virginia immensely.

CHAPTER VI.—An old negro tells Shirley's fortune and predicts great trouble for her on account of one man.

CHAPTER VII.—Uncle Jefferson, an old negro, takes Valiant to Damory court.

CHAPTER VIII.—Shirley's mother, Mrs. Dandridge, and Major Bristow exchange reminiscences during which it is revealed that the major, Valiant's father, was a man named Sasseen, who was engaged for the hand of Mrs. Dandridge in her youth. Sasseen and Valiant fought a duel on her account in which the former was killed.

CHAPTER IX.—Valiant finds Damory court overgrown with weeds and creepers and the buildings in a very much neglected condition. Uncle Jefferson and his wife, Aunt Daphne, are engaged as servants.

CHAPTER XI.

Sanctuary.

The tawny scudding streak that led that long chase had shot into the yard,



He Craned His Neck, but It Had Passed the Line of His Vision.

turning for a last desperate double. It saw the man in the foreground and its bounding, agonized little wild heart that so prayed for life gave way. With final effort, it gained the porch and crouched down in its corner, an abject, sweated, hunted morsel, at hopelessness.

Like a flash, Valiant stooped, caught the shivering thing by the scruff, and as its snapping jaws grazed his thumb, dropped it through the open window behind him. "Sanctuary!" quoth he, and banged the shutter to.

At the same instant, as the place overflowed with a pandemonium of noise, leaping hounds, he saw the golden chestnut reined sharply down among the ragged box-rows, with a

judge raised his broad soft hat.

"Thank you, sir," he said, with a soft accent that delightfully disdained the letter "r." "But we mustn't intrude any further. As you know, of course, the place has been uninhabited for any number of years, and we had no idea it was to acquire a tenant. You will overlook our riding through, I hope. I'm afraid the neighborhood has got used to considering this a sort of no-man's land. It's a pleasure to know that the Court is to be reclaimed, sir. Come along, Chilly," he added. "Our fox has a burrow under the house, I reckon—hang the cunning little devil!"

He waved his hat at the porch and turned his horse down the path, side by side with the golden chestnut.

After them trooped the others, horses walking warily, riders talking in low voices, the girls turning often to send swift bird-like glances behind them to where the straight masculine figure still stood with the yellow sunshine on his face. They did not leap the wall this time, but filed decorously through the swinging gate to the Red Road.

Then, as they passed from view behind the hedges, John Valiant heard the younger voices break out together like the sound of a bomb thrown into a poultry-yard.

John Valiant stood watching till the last rider was out of sight. There was a warm flush of color in his face.

At length he turned with a ghost of a sigh, opened the hall door wide and stalking a hundred yards away, sat down on the shady grass and began to whistle, with his eyes on the door.

Presently he was rewarded. On a sudden, around the edge of the sill peered a sharp, suspicious little muzzle. Then, like a flash of tawny light, the fox broke sanctuary and shot for the thicket.

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shamed though brazen knowledge that the girl who rode it had seen.

She sat motionless, her head high, one hand on the hunter's foam-flecked neck, and their glances met like crossed swords. The look stirred something vague and deep within him. For an unforgettable instant their eyes held each other, in a gaze rigid, challenging, almost defiant; then it broke and she turned to the rest of the party spurred in a galloping zig-zag; a gentle-faced man of middle age in khaki who sat his horse like a cavalryman, a younger one with a reckless dark face and straight black hair, and following these a half-dozen youthful riders of both sexes, one of the lads heavily plastered with mud from a wet cropper, and the girls chiefly gasps and giggles.

The elder of the two men pulled up beside the leader, his astonished eyes sweeping the house-front, with its open blinds, the wisp of smoke curling from the kitchen chimney. He said something to her, and she nodded. The younger man, meanwhile, had flung himself from his horse, a wild-eyed roan, and with his arm thrust through its bridle, strode forward among the welter of hounds, where they scurried at fault, hither and thither, yelping and eager.

"What rotten luck!" he exclaimed. "Gone to ground after twelve miles! After him, Tawny! You mongrels! Do you imagine he's up a tree? After him, Bulger! Bring him here!"

He glanced up, and for the first time saw the figure in tweeds looking on. Valiant was attracted by his face, its dash and generosity overlying its inherent profligacy and weakness. Dark as the girl was light, his features had the same delicate chiseling, the inbreeding, nobility and indulgence of generations. He stared a moment, and the somewhat supercilious look traveled over the gazer, from dusty boots to waving brown hair.

"Oh!" he said. His view slowly took in the evidences of occupation. "The house is open, I see. Going to get it fit for occupancy, I presume?"

"Yes."

The other turned. "Well, Judge Chalmers, what do you think of that? The unexpected has happened at last." He looked at the porch. "Who's to take it off?"

"The owner."

"Wonders will never cease!" said the young man easily, shrugging. "Well, our quarry is here somewhere. From the way the dogs act I should say he's bolted into the house. With your permission I'll take one of them in and see." He stooped and snapped a leash on a dog-collar.

"I'm really very sorry," said Valiant, "but I'm living in it at present."

The edge of a smile lifted the carefully trained mustache over the other's white teeth. It had the perfectly courteous air of saying, "Of course, if you say so. But—"

Valiant turned, with a gesture that incuded all. "If you care to dismount and rest," he said, "I shall be honored, though I'm afraid I can't offer you such hospitality as I should wish."

The judge raised his broad soft hat. "Thank you, sir," he said, with a soft accent that delightfully disdained the letter "r." "But we mustn't intrude any further. As you know, of course, the place has been uninhabited for any number of years, and we had no idea it was to acquire a tenant. You will overlook our riding through, I hope. I'm afraid the neighborhood has got used to considering this a sort of no-man's land. It's a pleasure to know that the Court is to be reclaimed, sir. Come along, Chilly," he added. "Our fox has a burrow under the house, I reckon—hang the cunning little devil!"

He waved his hat at the porch and turned his horse down the path, side by side with the golden chestnut.

After them trooped the others, horses walking warily, riders talking in low voices, the girls turning often to send swift bird-like glances behind them to where the straight masculine figure still stood with the yellow sunshine on his face. They did not leap the wall this time, but filed decorously through the swinging gate to the Red Road.

Then, as they passed from view behind the hedges, John Valiant heard the younger voices break out together like the sound of a bomb thrown into a poultry-yard.

John Valiant stood watching till the last rider was out of sight. There was a warm flush of color in his face.

At length he turned with a ghost of a sigh, opened the hall door wide and stalking a hundred yards away, sat down on the shady grass and began to whistle, with his eyes on the door.

Presently he was rewarded. On a sudden, around the edge of the sill peered a sharp, suspicious little muzzle. Then, like a flash of tawny light, the fox broke sanctuary and shot for the thicket.

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On this particular morning neither the major nor the doctor was in evidence, the former having gone out early, and the latter being at the moment in his office, as the brassy buzz of a telephone from time to time announced. Two of the green wicker rocking-chairs on the porch, however, were in agitation commotion. Mrs. Mason was receiving a caller in the person of Mrs. Napoleon Gifford.

"After all these years!" the visitor was saying in her customary Italics. The broad "a" which lent a dulcet softness to the speech of her hostess was scorned by Mrs. Poly, her own "a's" being as narrow as the needle through which the rich man reaches heaven. "We came here from Richmond when I was a bride—that's twenty-one years ago—and Damory Court was forsaken then. And think what a condition the house must be in now! Cared for by an agent who comes every other season from New York. Trust a man to do work like that!"

"I'm glad a Valiant is to occupy it," remarked Mrs. Mason in her sweet flute-like voice. "It would be sad to

"You, sub," responded the imp. "But yo' didn't tell me ter stay dar!"

"If I see you out here again," roared the doctor, "I'll tear your ears back—and grease you—AND SWALLOW YOU!" At which grisly threat, the apparition, with a shrill shriek, turned and ran desperately for the corner of the house.

"I hear," said the doctor, resuming, "that the young man who came to fix the place up has hired Uncle Jefferson and his wife to help him. Who's responsible for that interesting information?"

"Rickey Snyder," said Mrs. Mason. "She's got a spy-glass rigged up in a sugar-tree at Miss Mattie Sue's and she saw them pottering around there this morning."

"Little limb!" exclaimed Mrs. Gifford, with emphasis. "She's an cheeky as a town-hog. I can't imagine what Shirley Dandridge was thinking of when she brought that low-born child out of her sphere."

Something like a growl came from the doctor as he struck open the screen-door. "Limb!" I'll bet ten dollars she's an angel in a cedar-tree at a church fair compared with some better-born young ones I know of who are only fit to live when they've got the scarlet-fever and who ought to be in the reformatory long ago. And as for Shirley Dandridge, it's my opinion she and her mother and a few others like her have got about the only drops of the milk of human kindness in this whole abandoned community!"

"Dreadful man!" said Mrs. Gifford, sotto voce, as the door banged viciously. "To think of his being born a Southall! Sometimes I can't believe it!"

Mrs. Mason shook her head and smiled. "Ah, but that isn't the real Doctor Southall," she said. "That's only his shell."

"I've heard that he has another side," responded the other with guarded grimness, "but if he has, I wish he'd manage to show it sometimes."

Mrs. Mason took off her glasses and wiped them carefully. "I saw it when my husband died," she said softly. "That was before you came. They were old friends, you know. He was sick almost a year, and the doctor used to carry him out here on the porch every day in his arms, like a child. And then, when the typhus came that summer among the negroes, he quarantined himself with them—the only white man there—and treated and nursed them and buried the dead with his own hands, till it was stamped out. That's the real Doctor Southall."

The rockers vibrated in silence for a moment. Then Mrs. Gifford said: "I never knew before that he had anything to do with that duel. Was he one of Valiant's seconds?"

"Yes," said Mrs. Mason; "and the major was the other. I was a little girl when it happened. I can barely remember it, but it made a big sensation."

"And over a love-affair!" exclaimed Mrs. Gifford in the tone of one to whom romance was daily bread.

"I suppose it was."

For a time the conversation languished. Then Mrs. Gifford asked suddenly: "Who do you suppose she could have been?"—the girl behind that old Valiant affair."

Mrs. Mason shook her head. "No one knows for certain—unless, of course, the major or the doctor, and I wouldn't question either of them for worlds. You see, people had stopped gossiping about it before I was out of school. There's Major Bristow at the gate now. And the doctor's just coming out again."

The major wore a suit of white linen, with a broad-brimmed straw hat, and a pink was in his button-hole, but to the observing, his step might have seemed to lack an accustomed jauntiness. As he came up the path the doctor opened his office. "How do you feel this morning, Major?"

"Feel?" rumbled the major; "the way any gentleman ought to feel this time of the morning, sah. Like hell, sah."

The doctor bent his gaze on the hilarious blossom in the other's lapel. "If I were you, Bristow," he said, "I reckon I'd quit gallivanting around to bridge-fights with perfumery on my handkerchief every evening. It's the devil of an example to the young."

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